

# Grand Staircase-Escalante National Monument Road Report

Monday, August 15, 2016

All road conditions can change **RAPIDLY** due to weather.  
Please contact the nearest visitor center for the most current conditions.

## Roads to the East

Name	Date	Road	Comments
Burr Trail	8/13/2016	2WD	per Capitol Reef NPS road report
Notom-Bullfrog	8/13/2016	2WD	per Capitol Reef NPS road report
Road to Bullfrog Marina	8/13/2016	2WD	2WD at Bullfrog Creek xing (per Capitol Reef NPS report)
Wolverine Loop	7/30/2016	2WD High Clearance, 4WD	Some heavy washboards and some storm damage. Clearance needed. 4WD recommended for some difficult wash xings.
Cedar Wash	8/15/2016	2WD High Clearance	High clearance recommended for some rough areas.
Hole in the Rock	8/6/2016	2WD High Clearance	Washboard, rough and rocks further south Recommend HC-4WD for last 7 miles.
Spencer Flat	7/24/2016	2WD High Clearance	Rough, bumpy.

## Roads to the North

Name	Date	Road	Comments
Hells Backbone	8/1/2016	2WD	2WD, recently bladed.
Posey Lake to Loa	8/1/2016	2WD	Recently bladed from the forest boundary to the district boundary. Logging trucks may be present.
Whites Flat (FR #142)	8/1/2016	2WD	good condition
Griffin Top	8/1/2016	2WD	Logging trucks may be present.
North Creek (FR #149)	8/1/2016	2WD	Good condition.
Main Canyon	8/1/2016	2WD	Log trucks may be present between the Escalante summit and Widstoe.

## Roads to the Central Areas

Name	Date	Condition	Comments
Smoky Mountain - Alvey Wash	8/13/2016	2WD High Clearance, 4WD	Garfield Co. has reopened the road. Road may still be rough in spots.
Left Hand Collet	8/15/2016	Impassable	Impassable due to flood/storm damage
Croton	7/20/2016	2WD	2WD to Alstrom Point turnoff. 2WD HC north of that jct. due to debris flows from recent rains.
Smoky Hollow	7/3/2016	4WD High Clearance, Impassable	Recent flooding. Muddy, rough, high clearance areas. Not advisable till it dries out. More rain forecast.

## Roads to the West

Name	Date	Road	Comments
Cottonwood	8/16/2016	2WD, 2WD High Clearance	Watch for graders working south of Grosvenor Arch. Temporary closures possible.
Skutumpah	8/14/2016	2WD	2WD with caution. Clearance helpful at a few wash crossings.
Glendale Bench	7/24/2016	2WD	2WD, some washboard and rough spots.
Paria Movie Set	7/31/2016	2WD, 4WD	2WD to picnic area, 4WD beyond. Rain forecast conditions changeable
House Rock Valley	8/8/2016	2WD	2WD w/caution. Buckskin Wash crossing has been smoothed out.
White House	7/31/2016	2WD	2WD w caution to rough spots